Certificate of Facain	nic
I hereby certify that this corresp	oundence is builty
transmitted by facsimile to (70)	3) 872-9315 to the U.S
Patent and Trudemurk Office _	(Date of Depusit)
	(Date of Debosit)
FRANK C NICHO	LAS (33.983)
Name of applicant, pasigness of	entializated perfections and the
7 50 11	11.

Sygnature

September 30, 2004
Date of Signature

RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER

SEP 3 0 2004

PATENT Case No. PHN 17,686 (7790/350)

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re patent a	application of	)
FRANK P. DERKS, ET AL		)
Serial No:	09/689,061	) Examiner: LAM, DANIEL K.
SCHALING.	03/083,001	) Group Art Unit: 2667
Filed	OCTOBER 12, 2000	)
Fac. COM	SALINICATION SVSTEM	)
For: COM	IMUNICATION SYSTEM	)
AND COM	MUNICATION METHOD	)
FOR DATA	MULTIPLEXING	)

## RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 29, 2004

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P O Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir

In response to a Final Office action of June 29, 2004, please amend the above referenced application as follows and reconsider the application in light of the following remarks.